

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Title: METHOD FOR THE  
PRODUCTION OF  
(POLY)PEPTIDES BY USING  
TRUNCATED VARIANTS OF  
THE SV40 LARGE T ANTIGEN  
WITH AN INTACT N TERMINUS



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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated July 29, 2003, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Applicant has enclosed with this amendment a Petition for Extension of Time to make this response timely by extending the time to respond two months to December 29, 2003.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows:

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